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Application of

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For: MAGNETIC BEARING DEVICE :

AND A TURBO MOLECULAR
PUMP WITH THE MAGNETIC

BEARING DEVICE MOUNTED

THERETO: Docket No. S015-5846 (PCT)

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## RESPONSE

SIR:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 26, 2009, applicant amends his application as follows:

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